

to: Federal Communications Commission
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re: Indiana's "Do Not Call List"
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I like the "Do Not Call List". I like not being bothered by lawn care companies, mortgage brokers and credit card companies while I'm trying to eat dinner with my wife and children.

I've checked with my friends, family and co-workers. They like the "Do Not Call List" too.

I've actually spoken to one of the sponsors of the Indiana "Do Not Call List." He's proud of the legislation. He's glad that he could do this for the citizens of Indiana.

I don't contribute very much money to politicians. I don't have that much to spare.
I'm afraid that banks and telemarketers have lots and lots of money and will thousands of dollars to any and everyone in Washington that wants to be reelected.

I hope their money will be wasted and you will accept that the people of Indiana know what they want AND have a right to not be pestered during dinner.

If, however, any of you feel the rights of various commercial interests paramount could you please post all of your phone numbers on a website. I would then be able to call forward my phone to yours during the dinner hour and you can put up with the interruptions.

If you can't do that, how about if every telemarketer that calls has to give their home phone number and the home phone numbers of the three top executives of the company for which they are soliciting business to the person they are contacting. Then I can return the favor and find out what interest rate they have on their home mortgage...

Thanks for your time and attention...

Brad Ruppel